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Sir,

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 8, 2006, for which a response is due on November 8, 2006 with a one-month extension of time hereby requested, please amend the above-identified application as presented herein and examine it in accordance with the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.